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South-Carolina GAZETTE.

From TUESDAY *May* 7th, to TUESDAY *May* 14th, 1754.

To the PRINTER.

IN anſwer to the widow's letter,
Take this (friend *Peter*) 'ſtead of better.

Two widows liv'd within my ſphere,
Both young, but neither rich nor fair;
Each to their cronies would repeat
The bleſſings of the married ſtate.
Marriage! the greateſt bliſs below,
Which widows to their ſorrow know.
Tho' both affected to deny men,
Each paid her daily vows to Hymen;
His ſmiles with diligence purſued,
In which they plac'd the chiefeſt good:
To captivate, and fix the heart,
Both cou'd compleatly play their part;
But acted on a diff'rent ſcheme,
You'll find by th' ſequel of my theme.
So learn'd philoſophers (they ſay)
Sought happineſs a diff'rent way.

LASCIVIA ſtrives by artful wiles,
Unheeded glances, awkward ſmiles,
Unguarded ignorants to win:
(Her cobweb-ſchemes, alas! how thin!)
Hopes to give birth to unborn paſſion
By being faithful to the faſhion;
And takes a pleaſure, in expoſing
Fair nymphs whoſe charms may draw fine beaux in:
When finely dreſs'd, her courſe ſhe ſteers
From houſe to houſe (as privateers
[illegible] in queſt of prize)
As conſcious, ſhe has ſmall pretence
To lovers, were it not for pence:
If, thro' her forwardneſs, invited
To ball or cards, ſhe's quite delighted;
By talk ſhe makes each gueſt her pupil,
As if her buſineſs there was duple,
As if t'inſtruct the whole ſhe came
On purpoſe,—not to dance and game;
But ſhould ſome ſpark pay his devoirs,
How heavily run on the hours,
'Till the momentous deed's reveal'd;
A bliſs —too great to be conceal'd!
Which ſhe as prudently imparts,
By dropping of the knave of hearts:
If from the brain hard words are hammer'd,
With th' words and author ſhe's enamor'd;
Of learning thus to ſeem poſſeſt,
She makes herſelf a ſtanding jeſt;
For after all her various reading,
She knows not manners, ſenſe or breeding:
If common fame gives her a lover,
She's pleas'd—but can't the ſneer diſcover;
Takes compliments, for demonſtrations
How much ſhe merits commendations:
Reſerv'd ſhe'd ſeem—but out 'till dark,
Seldom returns without a ſpark,
And goes abroad (as 'tis reported)
To be gallanted home and courted:
She's unreſerv'd—but yet a prude,
And free to change her widowhood.

PRUDENTIA's quite a diff'rent creature,
Does not invert nor torture nature,
Nor ever inward thoughts beguiles,
By wanton ogling, talk or ſmiles:
In dreſs, ſhe knows, that affectation
Creates contempt, not admiration;
She's always elegant and neat,
And juſtly may be term'd complete;
No belle ſhe hates for being admired;
Nor yet in ſpleen from tea retired;
Her heart's benevolent and kind,
Not to her own concerns confin'd:
From place to place ſhe ne'er does roam,
But finds amuſement ſtill at home:
Sedate—and yet ſerenely bright;
Of ſimple manners—yet polite:
She ne'er affects the being witty,
Gay, ſenſible, genteel, or pretty,
But ſhews ſuch conduct, thro' her whole
Affairs, as captivates the ſoul:
Reſerv'd ſhe is—but yet no prude,
Can give repulſe without be'ng rude,
And merits, by a happy mean,
Our approbation, not diſdain;
Receives addreſſes from each lover,
So as new graces to diſcover;
Treats no man with contempt and ſcorn,
Becauſe ſhe can't their love return;
But, by her bluſhes, they diſcern,
That ſhe denies them with concern;
Which makes her by the world reſpected,
While poor *Laſcivia* lives neglected.

And now I think (my good friend *Peter*)
'Tis time to put an end to metre,
Leſt mine the painter's caſe may prove,
Who drew his girl—then fell in love.

How to make the beſt Ruſſia *Pot-aſhes; communicated by Sir* Peter Warren.

THE beſt woods are oak, aſh, poplar, hic-

other, and then put up in brick troughs or wooden backs, covered with rain or river water, and muſt remain well marſhed and incorporated five months.

Brick furnaces, ſhaped like bakers ovens, muſt be heated with a ſtrong fire of oak or aſh, burning night and day; the prepared aſhes muſt be gradually thrown on the fire, when they will run into metal like lead; the fire muſt not go out 'till the furnace is nigh filled with pot-aſhes.

The aſhes muſt then be broken, to be taken out, the larger the pieces the better; they muſt be preſerved from the air in tight caſks, the large pieces by themſelves, and the duſt by itſelf.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

AS there is a Law for building a DRAW-BRIDGE over *Aſhley-River*, at or near the place commonly called *Stony-Point*, a little below the ferry; as alſo to make a Cauſey from the Bridge to the firm land on the weſt ſide of the ſaid river: Any perſon inclining to undertake the building of the ſaid Bridge, or making the Cauſey, may give in their propoſals to any one of the following gentlemen, who are appointed commiſſioners for the above purpoſe, *viz.* the hon. *Wm. Bull*, jun. *Wm. Wragg*, and *James* [illegible], Eſqrs. or *John Drayton*, *John Miles*, *Thomas Smith*, jun. *Benj. Smith*, *Wm. Branford*, or *Tho. Fidler*, Eſqrs. The dimenſions of the Bridge, (which is intended to be built in a ſubſtantial manner with cypreſs), and of the Cauſey, may be learnt from Mr. *Benj. Harvey*, meſſenger of the houſe of aſſembly.

ON Tueſday the 4th of *June* next, will be ſold at publick vendue, at the ſtate houſe in *Charles-Town*, for ready money, THREE HUNDRED acres of land, ſituate in the parish of *Prince George*, in *Craven* county, late belonging to *John Edwards* deceaſed, and ſeized on execution, by

Peronneau Legaudat, Type-Mast

TO BE SOLD intire or in parcels, the houſe and lands late [illegible] *Wright & Charles Wright*, comm[illegible] called the point, ſituate in *Ashley-River*, containing 17 acres within the brick wall. Alſo ſeven lots without the wall, and the wharf and marſh. Whoever is inclinable to purchaſe the ſame or any part thereof, may treat with the ſubſcriber. The pleaſant ſituation and conveniencies attending the above lands, are too well known to require any illuſtration. JAMES WRIGHT.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS *Matthew Toole*, of the ſaid Province, Labourer, has exhibited his Petition to the Chief Juſtice and Juſtices of the Court of Common Pleas, ſetting forth, that he is in the Cuſtody of the Provoſt Marſhal of this Province, on Meſne Proceſs, at the Suit of *Rebecca Rodd*, adminiſtratrix of *Jordan Rodd*, late of *Charles-Town*, and alſo at the Suit of *Richard Weir-wright*, for Debts by them ſued for, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to any one or more of his Creditors, in Truſt for the reſt, all and ſingular his Eſtate, both real and perſonal, a Liſt or Schedule of the Eſtate being annexed to his ſaid Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Acts of the General Aſſembly of this Province in that Caſe made and provided: *It is therefore Ordered*, and the ſaid Plaintiffs, and all others to whom the ſaid Petitioner is in any ways indebted, are hereby ſummoned, and have Notice to appear at the uſual Place of Judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the Meeting of the Court of Common Pleas, which ſhall happen next after *Thirty* Days from the Publication hereof, to ſhew Cauſe if any they can, why the ſaid Petitioner ſhould not have the Prayer of his Petition granted.

May 14th 1754. *David Graeme*, C. C. P.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS *William Lyon*, of the ſaid Province, has exhibited his Petition to the Chief Juſtice and Juſtices of the Court of Common Pleas, ſetting forth, that he is in Cuſtody of the Provoſt Marſhal of this Province, on

[illegible] Proceſs, at the Suit of [illegible] for a Debt by him ſued for; and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to any one or more of his Creditors, in Truſt for the reſt, all and ſingular his Eſtate, both real and perſonal, a Liſt or Schedule whereof is annexed to his ſaid Petition, and praying to be admitted to the Benefit of the Acts of the General Aſſembly of this Province made for Relief of inſolvent Debtors: *It is therefore Ordered*, and the ſaid Plaintiffs, and all others to whom the ſaid Petitioner is in any ways indebted, are hereby ſummoned, and have Notice to appear at the uſual Place of Judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the Meeting of the Court of Common Pleas, which ſhall happen next after *Thirty* Days from the Publication hereof, to ſhew Cauſe, if any they have, why the ſaid Petitioner ſhould not have the Prayer of his Petition granted. *May* 14th 1754. *David Graeme*, C. C. P.

SOUTH-CAROLINA. WHEREAS *John Cardin* of the ſaid Province, has exhibited his Petition to the Chief Juſtice and Aſſiſtant Juſtices of the Court of Common Pleas, ſetting forth, that he is in the Cuſtody of the Provoſt Marſhal of this Province, upon Meſne Proceſs, at the Suit of [illegible] for a Debt by him ſued for; and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to any One or more of his Creditors in Truſt for the reſt, all and ſingular his Eſtate, both real and perſonal, a Liſt or Schedule whereof is annexed to his ſaid Petition, and praying to be admitted to the Benefit of the Acts of the General Aſſembly of this Province made for Relief of inſolvent Debtors: *It is therefore Ordered*, and the ſaid Plaintiffs, and all others to whom the ſaid Petitioner is in any ways indebted, are hereby ſummoned, and have Notice to appear at the uſual Place of Judicature in *Charles-Town*, at the Meeting of the Court of Common Pleas, which ſhall happen next after *Thirty* Days from the Publication hereof, to ſhew Cauſe, if any they have, why the ſaid Petitioner ſhould not have the Prayer of his Petition granted. *May* 14th 1754. *David Graeme*, C. C. P.

JUST IMPORTED in the Ship [illegible] Capt. *Price*, from *Briſtol*, [illegible] oil, and other paints, [illegible] blue, vermillion, gold ſize, [illegible] beer, white wine vinegar, [illegible] long and ſhort pipes, earthen ware aſſorted in [illegible] heads, yellow ware in caſes, [illegible] all ſizes, with ſeveral ſorts of [illegible] the ſame, a ſmall [illegible] [illegible] all kinds, [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Nimeguen, Jan. 1. Orders for [illegible] for [illegible]

Naples, Jan. [illegible] Count [illegible] Ambaſſador [illegible] Court [illegible] Count [illegible] Miniſter [illegible] Court [illegible] Count [illegible] Miniſter [illegible] Court [illegible] Count [illegible] Miniſter

EXPORTED from CHARLES-TOWN,

Since *Nov.* 1, 1754. *Of the Country Produce.*

Barrels of Rice,	71,822	Lb. of Indico,	42,048
Half Barrels	2,604	Sides of Leather,	2,419
Barrels of Pitch,	2,780	Bushels of Corn,	35,308
Of Tar,	1281	Of Peas,	5,824
Of Turpentine	2,561	Feet of Scantling, Plank and Timber,	518,338
Of Pork,	696	Shingles,	249,560
Of Beef,	234	Staves,	54,116
Hhds. of Skins,	191		

Of the RICE, 21,050 whole Barrels, and 1,319 half Barrels, were shipped for the Southward of Cape *Finisterre*.

PRICE CURRENT at CHARLES-TOWN, of the following Goods.

(Of the Country Produce.)

By the Barrel.

Rice, per Ct. 40 *s.* 0
Pitch, 40 *s.*
Tar, 30 *s.*
Green hides, 3 *l.*
Turpentine, 12 *s.* 6
Pork, 11 *l.*
Beef, 6 *l.*

By the Pound.

Indico, best, 27 *s.* 6
——, inferior, 20 to 25 *s.*
Deer skins, 13 *d.*
Canada Leather, 3 *l.* 6

By the Bushel.

Corn, 10 *s.*
Peale, 12 *s.* 6

By the Ton.

Callafina, 13 *l.*

(Of Foreign Produce or Manufacture.)

By the Pipe.

Madera Wine, 130 *l.*
Lisbon, 50 *l.*

By the Barrel.

Flour, per Cent. 70 to 80 *s.*
Muscovado Sugar, 10 to 14 *l.*

By 50 or 100 Bushels.

Fine Salt, 4 *l.* per Bush.
Coarse, 5 *s.*

By the 100 Feet.

Mahogany Plank, 22 *l.*

By the Ton.

Jamaica Wood, 70 *l.*
Logwood, 50 *l.*
Brasiletto, 30 *l.*
Lignum Vitæ, 18 *l.*

Mr. *Timothy*, *Charles-Town*, *May* 2, 1754.

I HAVE enquired the Price of good merchantable *FLOUR*, and find it to be at £. 4 & 0 *s. per Cent.* The *Half-Crown* Loaves to weigh 2 *lb.* 8 *oz.* I am, &c.

JOHN DART, *Commissary-General.*

ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that *Subscriptions* are taken in, by Mr. *Samuel Davidson* at *Jacksonsborough* and by the Printer hereof, to maintain a Rider and Horses, to go once a Week throughout the Year to and from *Charles-Town* and *Jacksonsborough* *Ferry* for the Subscribers in St. *Andrew's* Parish, at *Stono* for those in St. *Paul's*, and to Mr. *Davidson* for those in St. *Bartholomew's*. The Utility of this Design is so evident, that we presume nothing farther need be said to induce Gentlemen to give it due Encouragement.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of *Joseph Child* deceased, are desired to discharge their respective Debts by the 20th Day of next Month at farthest, when all who fail must be sued by *Anne Child*, Administratrix.

I Have received Information of a small bright bay stray'd gelding, about 13 hands high, branded with a cross on the mounting shoulder, with his off ear crop'd. Any person claiming him may apply to *James Skirving*.

ROWANDS & WELLS, have just imported in the *Lamb*, Capt. *Price*, from *Bristol*, and to be sold at their store in *Elliott street*.

A large assortment of *Irish* linnens of all kinds and prices, rolls, dowlas, fingle and tandem sheetings, fustol and long lawns, britannias, three quarters and 8th garlix, fine yard wide tandem ditto, nuas holland, brown holland, white sheeting, jeans, corded and figured dimity, best *Gloucestershire* and *Cheshire* cheese, shot, lead, hoes broad and narrow, *Indian* corn mills, bread, narrow and felling axes, hatchets, coopers tools, planes and other carpenters tools, grid irons, stock locks, hooks and hinges of all kinds, pitch, with osnabrugs checquered and strip'd hollands and linnens, checquered and white linnen handkerchiefs, and a great variety of other goods, continue to be sold at the most reasonable rates.

ROBERT WELLS, likewise continues to sell best quills, writing paper, and other stationary wares, and he has at present a good assortment of books in most faculties to dispose of, which he proposes to keep up, and any book not immediately accommodating gentlemen with, will on their leaving orders with him, be provided in a reasonable time, he having established proper correspondences for that purpose in *London*, *Paris*, and *Amsterdam*, so that whatever new books are published in any part of *Europe*, may be easily and readily got. He returns his customers thanks for the kind countenance he has already met with, and as on a shortly entire new for books will be very glad of their further orders.

TO BE SOLD, the following parcels of land, belonging to the late *Peter Delmestre*, deceased.

A town lot at *Purrysburgh*, on *Savannah River*, in *Granville* county, bounding to the south on lands granted by *Delmestre*, 22 *d. February*, 1742.

100 acres of land in the township of *Purrysburgh* and county of *Granville*, butting and bounding to the north on lands of *Dutens* and *Francis Mongin*, and on all other sides on vacant land, patented by *John Peter Bruce*, the 6th of *October* 1737, and by him transfer'd for the consideration therein mentioned, to the said *Peter Delmestre*, the 11th of *September*, 1740.

50 acres of land in the said township and county, butting and bounding to the north on Mr. *Cade's* land, to the east on Mr. *Mare's* land, and to the south and west on vacant land, patented by *Matthew le Fleure*, 16th *September* 1738, and by him convey'd to *Delmestre*, the 10th of *January* 1738.

150 acres of land in the same township and county, butting and bounding to the north on Mr. *Samuel Augsburgher's* land, to the east on *Day's* creek at *Rogerson's* block, to the southward Mr. *Matthew Mare's* land, and to the west on vacant land, patented by Mr. *Isaac Cade*, the 16th of *September* 1738, and by him and wife convey'd to *Delmestre*, the 10th of *December* 1738, for the consideration therein mentioned.

400 acres of land, whereof about 100 acres marsh land, in the said township of *Purrysburgh* and county, butting and bounding to the southward on the land of the honourable *Hector Garnier de Beaufain*, Esq; to the west on *Day's* creek, called *New River*, and to the south on the circular line of the town lands of *Purrysburgh*, patented by *Delmestre*, the 29th of *January* 1742.

All the above mention'd lands, are now the property of Mr. *Henry Laroche*, merchant, in *Jamaica*. Any person desiring to buy the whole or any part thereof, may have them at a very reasonable price. Enquire of ROBERT RAVEN.

FRANCIS MORAND,

LATELY from *England*, has imported a quantity of dry goods, amongst which are, extraordinary good Scotch cambrugs, dowlas, shirting linen, Silesia and other lawns, muslin, mecs, womens & boys thread and cotton stockings, super fine taffaty, plain and figured ribbons, &c. which he will at the very lowest rates they can be allowed, either wholesale or retail, at his store in *Union street*, almost opposite to Mr. *Maingault's*. —— He has also to sell, at prime cost, cross cut saws 7 feet long, axes, adzes, augurs, hinges, house locks, latches with and without brass knobs, an extraordinary good jack with spit and skewers. —— *And will take merchantable* RICE *in payment*.

THE Subscriber gives this public notice, that he is removed from the house in *Elliott street*, where he formerly lived, to Mrs. *Paget's* house in the same street, lately occupied by Mr. *Tarneid*, and continues his business in making and mending all sorts of clocks and watches in the best and speediest manner; and as he has taken the whole house he lives in, he will let any part thereof very reasonable to any one, who has a mind for lodging rooms, kitchen or cellar. JOHN SMITH.

STRAY'D or stolen out of Mrs. *Hardan's* pasture, 3 miles from *Charles-Town*, a grey horse with a large star in his forehead, about 12 hands and an half high, branded on the mounting shoulder TC, and about 3 years old: A dark bay gelding, about 13 hands high, branded IP on the mounting buttock, black main and long switch tail. And a small dark bay horse, branded GS on the mounting buttock. Whoever brings them to the said Mrs. *Hardan's*, or Mr. *Tobias* in *Charles-Town*, shall have *Five Pounds* reward.

STRAY'D into Mr. *David Palmer's* inclosed grounds, a black gelding, about 13 hands high, one hind foot white, branded on the mounting buttock with something like a pair of scissars open. Whoever owns him, must prove his property before me, or some other of his majesty's justices. ROBERT AUSTIN.

STRAY'D or stolen from *Charles-Town*, a bay pacing horse about 14 hands high, with three brands, one of them HG, another like an M, the third I can't remember, and a good deal of hair worn off his left buttock. Whoever brings the said horse to *Adam Shield's* in *Charles-Town*, shall have 3 *l.* reward, of *Henry Gadsden*.

MR. *Elisha Guerry*, advertises a black mare, about 13 hands high, branded on the mounting thigh RF, and on the off shoulder [illegible], and on the off shoulder with a [illegible] came into the inclosed grounds of the a bay mare, about three years old, with a year old black mare colt, and two young colts, all unbranded, supposed to come from the branded mare. Whoever owns the said creatures, may have them on paying the lawful charges, to *John Gadsden*.

THE Subscriber gives Notice to all persons indebted to the estate of Doct. *Hardan*, that the books of the said Doct. are now in his hands, and that unless they do discharge their accompts by the 20th day of *June*, they may expect upon being sued without further notice, by CHARLES CATTELL.

For *LONDON* direct,

The Ship

RESOLUTION,

WILLIAM BARNARD, Master,

Has half of Cargo already engaged, and will take in the remainder at *Stono*, where she now lies.

TO BE SOLD on Tuesday, the 13th of *May* next, at the house of the late *Thomas Gadsden* deceased, all the household furniture, a chaise, two horses and mares, and country cart belonging to the said estate.

Also two tracts of land, the one known as *Pooshee*, about 6 miles above *Parker's Ferry*, containing 200 acres very good either for rice, corn or indico, well fenced with sundry convenient buildings.

The other containing 800 acres, known as *Fenwick's Cypress*, about 8 miles from *Dorchester*, very good for all the above sorts of produce, will be given for all terms above 7 years, from *January* next, paying taxes and giving such security as will be approved of by the executors.

Also at the same time and place, will be exposed to sale, a tract of land belonging to the estate of Mr. *Richard Baker*, late of *Stono River*, deceased, containing about 250 acres of clear wood land, on *Cooper River*, 4 miles above the Quarter House, cleared, fenced and ditched, very convenient for rice and barn. Land runs half a mile to a landing, and superior to most for indigo either for the quality of the soil, or convenience of water. Credit will be given if required for one year, or a longer time, for 3 fifths of the purchase money if desired, paying interest and giving approved security.

WILLIAM BAKER, Executor.

STOLEN or stray'd from *Charles-Town* green, on the night of *March* last, a small bay trotting horse, very [illegible] hands high, branded on the off buttock WG and very plain, a little white on his forehead, one knee [illegible] on each hind foot, has some flanks, [illegible] a switch tail, and about 7 years old. Whoever will bring the said horse to *Charles-Town*, shall have [illegible] reward of 40 *s.* [illegible] *Charles-Town*.

STOLEN or stray'd from the Subscriber's plantation in *Goose Creek*, the 20th day of *March* last, a dark bay horse about 14 hands high, branded SZ in a piece on one buttock, and on one shoulder *Shield* all in a piece, and [illegible] *N* before [illegible] Whoever brings the said horse to me shall have [illegible] reward of 40 *s.* will be given on any person [illegible] that he shall be [illegible] EDWARD [illegible]

IMPORTED in the Snow *Lamb*, Capt. *Price*, from *Bristol*, a great assortment of *Irish* linnens, tea aprons and many genteel pavillions, also of *Manchester* goods, such as checks, strip'd linnens and cottons, worsted and hair camblet hats, &c. &c. good vinegar in 3 gallon casks, and empty jugs, good pigtail and cut and dried tobacco, and hunters pipes, bottle corks, cyder, [illegible] small figur'd chimney backs, and large ditto for [illegible] best crown glass, of different sizes from 6 by [illegible] by 10, good fuse and foil powder, [illegible] shot and bullets of all sorts, [illegible] iron mongery, ship chandlery and other European goods fumble to the price, are to be sold on very reasonable terms, by JAMES LAURENS & Co.

Who have also to sell, good *Wiltshire* and *New-York* RUM.

JUST IMPORTED in the Snow *Lamb*, *John Price* Master, from *Bristol*, *Gloucester* cheese, bottled ale and cyder, groceries, nails, white lead, and [illegible] other goods, to be sold by [illegible] & LLOYD.

N.B. They have [illegible] of a very neat riding chair.

TO BE SOLD on very reasonable terms, a tract of land containing about [illegible] acres on the [illegible] situated on the south side of *Santee River*, all old ploughing, very good for corn, rice, peas, tar, turpentine and indico. Whoever has a mind to purchase said lands, may [illegible] with [illegible] Esquire, at his plantation on *Wando* in St. *James*, *Goose*, or Mr. *John Cumming Bull* on the plantation in St. *John's* parish.

WHEREAS *Mary-Anne Terrell*, the wife of the subscriber, has eloped from her said husband: These are to forewarn all persons from having any dealings with her on my account, from this 23d day of *April* 1754. *William Terrell.*

TO BE DISPOSED of by the subscriber, a Bahama [illegible] 37 years old, very handy at rice, [illegible] fine cook and understands [illegible] pound, shoots [illegible] and would make a good coachman. For further particulars enquire of *Mary Bullock* in *Charles-Town*, *Shopkeeper*.

LATELY IMPORTED in the *Edwards*, Capt. *Barth Evans*, from *New-York*, FLOUR in whole, half, and quarter barrels; ship bread, butter, milk, and middling bread in boxes, soap, candles, and bolt *New-York* gunpowder: And from *Madeira*, a parcel of choice WINES in Pipes of 120 Gallons, which will be sold very reasonable.

IRELAND, PICKERING, & WRAKALL.

TO BE SOLD at Auction, on Friday the 24th of this Instant *May*, at the house of *Peter Durand* deceased, a very good house servant, and all the household furniture and shop goods of the said deceased. *Wareham & Pritchard.*

WHEREAS the Bridge as well as part of the public street, at the north end of the bay in *Charles Town*, leading to his excellency the governor's house, is now render'd impassible: This is to give notice to all persons, that are willing to subscribe towards repairing the said bridge and street, that they give in their subscriptions to *Charles Pinckney*, or *Robert Rope*, who will undertake to get the same repaired.

N.B. The inhabitants near the bridge have subscribed near £. 300, and the whole charge will be but £. 800.

ON Wednesday the 15th Instant (*May*) will be sold, a choice Parcel of *Gambia* SLAVES, just imported in the Snow *St. Paul*, Captain *Tubiay James*, directly from *Gambia*.

CHARLES MAYNE.

NO Notice having been taken of my late Advertisements in this Paper; I once more require all Persons indebted to me, to pay forthwith, or by the 20th of *June* at farthest, when my Necessities, which are already very pressing, and must then be more so, will oblige me to get in my Money in a Manner that has always been my Inclination to avoid, but *Necessity has no Law*.

JOHN GORDON, *Trustee Receiv.*

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of *Joseph Murray*, late of *Santee*, deceased, either by bond, note or book debt, are desired to discharge the same; and those who have any demands on the said estate, to bring in their accompts properly attested to the subscriber in *Charles Town*.

James Hunter, Executor.

WHEREAS the Subscriber purchased at Mr. *Carne*'s vendue, in *October* last, three negro slaves, to wit, *Boston*, his wife *Sue*, and child *Sib*, (formerly the property of Mr. *Andrew Leech*) who immediately after the sale absconded and never have come home since: These are therefore to promise a reward of *Twenty Pounds* current money, to any white person, who shall apprehend and bring to the subscriber, or deliver to the warden of the work house in *Charles Town*, the said negro man *Boston*, *Ten Pounds* for the said wife *Sue*, and *Five Pounds* for the said child *Sib*. And the subscriber having strong information, good reason to suspect certain Persons of harbouring and entertaining the said slaves: These are to certify such persons, that on full proof thereof, being laid before the subscriber, he is determined to prosecute the offender or offenders for the said offence (which is now become very grievous) with the utmost severity.

And these are further to certify the said negroes, that if they will within one month from this date, come home to their master, they shall be entirely forgiven, and the punishment notwithstanding 6 months absence, totally remitted. *May* 7th, 1754.

JAMES MICHIE.

TO BE LET, a convenient House in *Tradd-street*, near the *Bay* and Market, and next to Messrs. *Motherwell* & *Lloyd*'s, opposite Mr. *Lord*'s, having a good entry, two rooms, a good kitchen, and two dry cellars. Inquire of

JOHN McCALL.

IN order to settle the affairs of *Jacob Motte* deceased, late of *Chehaw*, we the administrators give this public notice, that all persons who have any demands on the said deceased, are desired to bring in the same; and those indebted, to discharge the same without further notice. to *James Sharp*, and *John Wilkins*, Administrators.

ALL Persons that have any demands on the estate of *Thomas Addis*, late of *St. Thomas Parish*, deceased, are desired to bring in their accompts properly attested to the executors; and those indebted are to discharge the same.

Anthony Toomer, *Samuel Thomas*, Executors.

THE Corner House in *Tradd-street* next Door to the Printer's, to be let. Inquire of Col. *Robert Brewton* or *Rebecca Rose*.

For *LONDON* directly,

The Ship *Prince of Orange*,

BENJ. KEEN Master.

The Great part of her Cargo engag'd.

FOR Freight or Passage, treat with Messrs. *Motherwell & Donsaint*, or said Master.

THE Subscriber intending for *England* in a few months, desires all persons any ways indebted to him, to discharge their respective debts by the first of *July* next; and that those to whom he is indebted will then bring in their accompts.

In the mean time he will sell very reasonable for cash, at his shop in *Elliott-street*, near the *Bay*, rum, sugar, molasses, wine, salt, linnens, hollands, cambricks, cutlary ware, milk pans, butter pots, and many other articles proper for the place and season.

JAMES EDES.

STRAY'D into Mr. *Joseph Elliott*'s pasture in *St. Andrew*'s parish, a red cow, about 5 years old, with a young calf: And a red bull about three years old, neither of them are ear mark'd or branded. The owner may have them again, proving his property before *William Bull*, jun.

ALL Persons to whom the late Mr. *Peter Davis*, is indebted, are desired to bring in their demands, to *Anne David*.

ALL Persons indebted to the estate of Sir *Alexander Nisbet*, deceased, either by bond, note, or otherwise, are desired to discharge the same immediately, or settle to the satisfaction, of

Mary Nisbet, Executrix.
Robert Hume, Executor.

TO BE SOLD by *WILLIAM BANBURY*, at his Store in *Union-street*, choice old *Barbados* RUM, fine *Canary* WINE in Bottles, and good *New-York* HAMS, *&c. &c. &c.*

TO BE SOLD by *Henry Bedon*, a tract of land upo *Sampit-Creek*, containing 1149 acres, within 7 miles of *George-Town*, and where a large boat may load at the bluff.

Also one tract of 700 acres, on *Peter-River*, joining Mr. *John Stone*'s land.

And also an island on *Abler River*, containing 6 acres, with a house on the same, and a *Dutch* man and his wife servants.

N.B. The said *Bedon* has a parcel of good *Madera*, pipes, lignum vitæ and logwood, to dispose of.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, on Tuesday the 4th day of *June* next, at the late dwelling house of *James McKelvey*, deceased, all the cattle, horses, household and store goods, with some negroes. The conditions of the sale are, all sums under *Ten Pounds* to be paid down, and all above, three months credit, paying interest and giving such security as shall be approv'd of, by

John Hamilton, *James M'Kelvey*, and *James Hamilton*, Administrators.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, on Wednesday the 15th of *May*, at the plantation on which the deceased Doct. *David Sprat*, lived at *Stono*, all the estate of the said deceased, consisting of household furniture, medicines and utensils, one negro fellow, and some horses, by

John Murray, Administrator.

TACITUS GAILLARD, Esq; advertises a dark bay mare, with a star in her forehead, about 12 hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder TP. as I make it out: Also a dun gelding about 12 hands and an half high, hath a white face, three white feet, branded on the mounting shoulder JP. Whoever owns said mare and gelding, may have them on proving their property before me, and paying the lawful charges.

JOHN GENDRON.

ABOUT *Seven Hundred Pounds* to be let, by the *South Carolina Society*.

N.B. There is a vacancy for schooling a child.

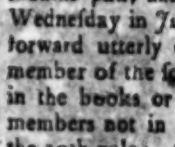
Samuel Prioleau, Clerk.

MR. *Elisha Barnet* and *Stephen Guerry*, advertise a bay mare, with a hind foot unbranded, about four years old, hath a star in her forehead, black main and tail, black legs, and 12 hands and an half high. Any person proving his property to her before me, may have her again, paying the lawful charges. *John Gendron.*

STRAY'D or stolen from *Ashley Ferry*, about a month ago, two geldings, one of which is a bay, near 14 hands high, paces a little, with 4 white feet, a snip down his face, his main and tail of a dark colour, without any brand that can be distinguish'd: The other is a light grey, not quite 13 hands high, branded either upon the mounting shoulder or buttock IW in one, and has a short switch tail. Whoever will bring them or either of them, to the subscriber at *Ashley-Ferry*, shall receive FIVE POUNDS reward for each.

DANIEL DONOVAN.

THERE is a Road of 22 Feet in width, laid out thro' the plantation that formerly belonged to Mr. *William Smith* deceased, (upon *Charles-Town* neck) down to an island very pleasantly situated upon *Ashley-River* containing about 24 acres of land: And as part of the said plantation is now sold, the remaining part, and the above mentioned island, will also be sold, in any quantity of acres the purchaser may chuse, and at a very reasonable price. Inquire of *Paul Douxsaint*.



STRAY'D or stolen from about *Charles-Town*, on the 23d instant *March*, in the night, a bay horse 14 hands high, with a star in his forehead, and branded on the mounting shoulder M; he is about 9 years old, and does not pace. If taken up within 20 miles and bro't to me, I'll give 5 pounds, if at a greater distance more in proportion. *Joseph Ward.*

TO BE SOLD, by *JOHN ERNEST POYAS*, at his Store in *Elliott-street*, ship, water, milk and butter biskets, choice FLOUR in barrels and kegs, *West-India* RUM, *Philadelphia* and *New-York* nitro, by the hogshead or 3 gallons, muscovado sugar, *Jamaica* coffee, starch, and exceeding fine HAMS, just imported.

N.B. He has also good ROOMS to let.

FOR HOLLAND, *Hamburgh*, *Bremen*, *Liverpool*, or *Lisbon*,

The Ship *Molly & Sally*, *John Wilmshurst* Master.

FOR Freight agree with the Subscriber on the *Bay*. THOMAS SMITH.

AT the Anniversary Meeting of the *Charles-Town* Library Society, on Wednesday the 9th of *January* 1754.

AGREED and order'd, that all and every the members of this society, who have neglected to pay their weekly quota's, for the space of *twelve* months past, and shall so continue until the second Wednesday in *July* next, he and they shall be thenceforward utterly debarr'd and excluded from being a member of the society, and of any right or priviledge in the books or other things belonging to the same; members not in the province excepted, agreeable to the 10th rule: And the librarian hath in charge, not to suffer any such defaulter to have any book from the library, and that this order and resolution, be printed in the next *Gazette*. *By Order of the Society*,

John Remington, Secretary.

BROUGHT to the WORK-HOUSE, in CHARLES-TOWN.

April 10th, 1754. A yellow fellow, named *Jack*, belonging to *George Bellinger*; taken up at governor *Bull*'s plantation.

April 14. A yellow fellow, who says he was born in *Lisbon* and is a freeman, and calls himself *Lewis*; and a negro fellow, who also says he is free, and was born in *St. Kitt's*, calls himself *Cook*: Taken up at Mr. *Holmes's* ferry at *Hobcaw*, on suspicion of being run-aways; but they say they both belonged to a sloop that was cast away upon *Caper's-Island*, which came from *Barbados*, the captain's name *William Wilson*.

April 16th. Three new negro men, named *Tom*, *Mingo*, and *Bob*, with white negro cloth jackets and breeches; *Tom* has some of his country marks across his breast: Taken at Mr. *Wragg*'s plantation.

May 12th. A new negro man who can't speak *English*, branded on the left breast GF, and has on white negro cloth jacket and breeches.

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May 14th. A new negro man, very much scarrified from one temple to the other, many marks of the whip on his back, speaks no *English*, and has on white negro cloth jacket and breeches.

High-Water at Charles-Town		May	In the Morning H.	M.	In the Afternoon H.	M.		H.	M.		H.	M.
on	Wednesday	15th	1	12	1	36	High-Water at the Bar an Hour and an half sooner than at Charlestown.	5	8	Sun rises	6	52
	Thursday	16th	2		2	24		5	8		6	52
	Friday	17th	2	48	3	12		7			6	52
	Saturday	18th	3	36	4			6			6	51
	Sunday	19th	4	24	4	48		5	5		6	51
	Monday	20th	5	12	5	36		5	5	Sun sets	6	51
	Tuesday	21st	6		6	24		5	4		6	51

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